



Primary Source Document Analysis Form

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Analytical Questions	Answer and Evidence
A uthor: Who created the source?	
P lace: Where and when was it created?	
P rior Knowledge: What do you already know about it?	
A udience: For whom was this source created?	
R eason: Why was this source produced?	
T he Main Idea: What point is it conveying?	
S ignificance: Why is this source important?	